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Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 3438-85

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Kjell Christensen

Application No.: 10/088,535

Filed: March 20, 2002

For: Whirlpool

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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RESPONSE

In response to the restriction requirement of September 23, 2003, applicant elects Group I and claims 1-9 for further prosecution in this application.

Applicant reserves the right to file a divisional application on non-elected claims 10-13.

If there is any fee due in connection with the filing of this response, please charge such fee to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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